

# STRIKE CHIEFS DISCUSS SEPARATE PEACE PLAN

## Hope Revived for Safety of Buried Miners

JACKSON, Calif.—By the Associated Press.—Science had turned despair into hope when crews of diggers resumed Saturday their tasks of reaching the spot walled in by rock and debris and flames where forty-seven workers in the Argonaut gold mine here have been imprisoned for twelve days.

It seemed Friday that the rescuers would release only corpses. An official of the company had expressed the belief that all the entombed miners were dead and every evidence apparently pointed to that. Yet, late at night, came the astonishing announcement that chemical tests had demonstrated that the men all were alive. Argonaut officials said they were preparing a formal statement declaring their opinion that none of the miners had perished. The officials backed up their assertion with the offer of a reward of \$5,000 to the first crew reaching the miners.

A delicate instrument, it was explained, had been lowered into the fiery and gaseous shaft through which the men had gone. It had recorded no gases indicating the presence of a single dead body. Moreover, it was reported to show that noxious gases had not penetrated to the region where the men were entombed but that the air in the lower levels was pure enough to sustain life. An analysis of air currents in the shaft indicated that there was no carbon monoxide below the 2500-foot level. Previously, it had been believed that poisonous gases had permeated levels far below that.

A re-check of progress made by rescue crews showed that on the 3600-foot level, 245 feet of muck must be cleared before the 75 feet of solid rock remaining could be penetrated. On the 3900-foot level there remained 120 feet of soft substances and 142 feet of rock.

## PROJECT ON FOOT TO DAM HAMMOND AND GIBB CHUTES

Plan is to Turn Water Into Black River to Carry Away North Side Sewage

PLAN TO DREDGE AROUND ISLE LA PLUME INCLUDED

Proposed Improvements Meet With General Favor

A movement, which has the support of the mayor, the city council and several of the leading citizens in La Crosse and Onalaska, is on foot to dam off Hammond and Gibb Chutes in the Black river and turn the river back into its original course. This would do away with the sewage problem which has been bothering residents of the north side for a number of years. As matters now stand, the sewage from the north side is emptied into the Black river, which at this season of the year is practically dead water. At present, the water coming down the Black river takes a course through Hammond and Gibb chutes to the Mississippi river, since the land in that direction is lower than the natural course of the Black river.

The matter was considered at a meeting of the city council committees on audit and purchase, public utilities, grounds and buildings and administration, held in the city hall Thursday evening.

Improvements Named

The meeting was called for the purpose of considering the petition to dredge and improve the Black river, which would include the building of a dam across the entrance of the chutes mentioned; a petition to dredge the slough east of Isle La Plume and a petition to dredge a channel around Isle La Plume for motor boats.

Frank Pierce of Onalaska spoke in favor of the projects, as did Alderman Paul W. Mahoney and Barney Olson, county supervisor. Harry Gores and Tony Patrick were present at the meeting, and expressed views favorable to the plans.

Attorney Paul E. Withrow, representing the property owners and boat owners spoke in favor of the proposed improvements, and introduced the original petitions. At the council meeting Friday night the board of public works was authorized to advertise for bids for the chase, lease or construction of a dredging outfit, since there is in all, about twenty-five miles of dredging to be done about the city.

Sanitary Measure

In speaking of the suggested improvements in the Black and Mississippi rivers, Mr. Withrow said: "It is in favor of the improvements, because it is realized that they are necessary for a sanitary standpoint."

"The city will be compelled at this time either to construct a sewage disposal plant at a cost of from \$265,000 to \$300,000, or turn the water into Black river again, and open the slough east of Isle La Plume, which will take care of sewage problem."

"By changing the sewer on the north side from Logan street, into the main sewer on the north side, which is south of Copeland park, the sewage proposition in that part of the city will be solved."

## CRITICALLY ILL

President's Wife Has Good Night, But Grave Concern Is Felt Over Her Condition.



MRS. WARREN G. HARDING

## DR. MAYO CALLED TO CAPITAL BY ILLNESS OF PRESIDENT'S WIFE

Rochester Surgeon Called Into Consultation; Operation May Be Necessary

DOCTOR REPORTS PATIENT'S CONDITION AS "FAVORABLE"

Doing as Well as Can be Expected Says Bulletin

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The condition of Mrs. Harding, wife of the president, critically ill at the White house, was reported at 9:30 a. m. Saturday to be "as favorable as can be expected at this time."

A bulletin issued by Brigadier General C. E. Sawyer, physician in attendance, said Mrs. Harding had a "fairly good night," and that complications of Friday were "less threatening Saturday morning."

Dr. Sawyer's statement follows: "Mrs. Harding had a fairly good night. The complications of Friday are less threatening this morning. On the whole her condition is as favorable as can be expected at this time."

Public Is Barred

For the first time since the Hardings entered the White House, the public was barred Saturday from the historic mansion. The gates to the grounds were thrown open a few hours after Mr. Harding was inaugurated and from that time, within reasonable hours, tourists were permitted to inspect most of the rooms on the lower floor, the executive offices and other points of interest.

President Harding, who has made it an invariable custom to go immediately after breakfast to the adjoining executive offices, remained in the White House proper in order to be close to the sick-bed. His engagement book was kept clear with the same object in view.

Taken Ill on Cruise

The present recurrence of the illness of Mrs. Harding, described as by long years suffered at intervals since a surgical operation nine years ago, was first felt by her nearly two weeks ago while on a week-end cruise on the Mayflower with the president and a party of friends. She had recovered sufficiently early this week again to leave her room but later suffered a setback with complications which have made her condition critical.

Mrs. Harding's age—she was born in Marion, Ohio, in 1860—had been expected to have a distinct influence on the course of her ailment.

Mayo Is Summoned

More complete diagnosis of the exact cause of the hydro-nephrosis and a determination of whether a surgical operation may be necessary or advisable.

## RECOMMENDATIONS TO BE LAID BEFORE MEETING OF UNION POLICY COMMITTEE

RESTRAIN OFFICIAL FROM INTERFERING WITH THE STRIKERS

Washington Court Grants Temporary Injunction Asked by Electrical Workers' Union

MOTION TO VACATE FEDERAL INJUNCTION FILED BY LABOR

Would Have Writ Declared Void as it Applies to Union Chiefs

WASHINGTON.—A temporary injunction restraining United States Marshal Snyder from interfering with the meeting of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, one of the striking rail shop-crafts, and from doing anything to prevent strike activities "in excess" of the Chicago restraining order, was issued Saturday by Justice Bailey in the supreme court of the District of Columbia.

The court denied the petition for a similar injunction against United States Attorney Gordon but without prejudice to a renewal of the application after next Monday when the Chicago order expires by its own terms.

The government through its legal representatives had moved the dismissal of the petition for an injunction brought by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, seeking to prevent enforcement of the restraining order issued by Judge Wilkerson at Chicago. The supreme court of the district of Columbia has no authority to review or modify the Chicago order, it was contended, and the plaintiffs here will have every opportunity to seek relief before the Chicago tribunal.

Start Action Against Writ

CHICAGO, Ill.—By The Associated Press.—A motion to vacate the government's temporary restraining order against the shop craft union, so far as it applies to Bert M. Jewell, head of the railway employees' department of the American Federation of Labor, and John Scott, secretary was filed in the U. S. district court Saturday.

The action was begun by Attorney Donald R. Richberg on behalf of the railway employees' department and was based on three general allegations:

"That the government had failed to make a case; that the relief asked and obtained on a temporary order was prohibited by the Clayton act, and that the relief was sought and obtained with ulterior objects and under misrepresentations."

## RAIL CHIEFS ALSO MEET IN CHICAGO TO DISCUSS PEACE

Withhold Comment Until the Unions Act Upon Proposals Reached at Conference

QUESTION OF SENIORITY MAY STILL BE A STUMBLING BLOCK

Baltimore Plan Only Proposes Method of Settlement

CHICAGO.—Recommendations dealing with separate peace proposals offered by a few western railroads and with the Daugherty injunction were drawn up at an executive session of railway shopmen strike leaders Friday upon their return to Chicago following a week's seclusion in the east.

These recommendations, which may result in a partial settlement of the strike, will be laid before the shopcrafts' policy committee of ninety when it convenes here Monday.

Hearing on a motion to make permanent the temporary injunction obtained against the strikers in federal court here by Attorney General Daugherty is scheduled for Monday also.

May Be Further Fight

If this motion prevails it has been freely predicted the assembled strike leaders will make plans for a further fight on the restraining order.

Notice of the temporary injunction was formally served upon B. M. Jewell, president of the railway employees' department of the American Federation of Labor, William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, and Martin F. Ryan, president of the International Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, as they stepped from a train here Friday. Up to this time, the union chief had evaded service.

Willard Continues Efforts

While Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, refused to discuss terms agreed upon at the Baltimore conference, he continued his missionary work among the executives. Almost twenty executives and representatives of various roads attended a luncheon at the Chicago club at which Mr. Willard is believed to have discussed the Baltimore plan.

"I have nothing whatever to say," Mr. Willard announced as he left the luncheon with H. E. Byram, head of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road. "I will have no statement whatever to make later in the day or at any time this week."

Peace Move Discussed

Other rail executives declared that the luncheon had nothing whatever to do with the Baltimore agreement but was merely held for a discussion of the general situation, including the Daugherty injunction. It was learned, however, that the peace move was discussed.

Mr. Byram declared that nothing can be given out at this time concerning any tentative agreement that may have been reached for the reason that the shopmen's policy committee of ninety has not had a chance to pass upon anything that transpired at Baltimore.

"We have been willing to discuss individual agreements from the beginning," said President Byram. "We still hold that position. We have not yet received an invitation to participate in negotiations but will be glad to do so if such invitation is extended."

"Text" Only Minority Report

What purported to be the text of the tentative proposition arrived at in Baltimore, was published by some newspapers, but in reality the text of the minority resolution adopted by the fifty-two roads which broke away from the New York conference recently and held a separate meeting in Washington.

The only difference between the newly published text and that of the Washington resolution was the date upon which the shopmen were to be taken back. The Washington plan provided for their return on Sept. 1 instead of Oct. 1 as in the newly published text.

How far the Baltimore compromise differs from the Washington resolution can only be conjectured, but as the latter was flatly rejected by Mr. Jewell and his committee, it is likely that some changes have been made.

Says They Are Different

According to one rail executive the two are not identical. He also stated the question of wages does not enter into the Baltimore agreement.

## COSGRAVE NAMED HEAD OF DAIL TO SUCCEED COLLINS

Elected President at First Meeting of New Irish Parliament Saturday

DESMOND FITZGERALD CHOSEN MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

New Cabinet Named by the President After Election

DUBLIN.—By The Associated Press.—William T. Cosgrave, Minister of local government, was elected president of the dail eireann by the new parliament at its inaugural session Saturday. The only votes against him were cast by the labor members.

After election President Cosgrave nominated Desmond Fitzgerald as minister of foreign affairs, and Fitzgerald was elected.

Remaining ministers were appointed as follows:

Minister of home affairs, Kevin O'Higgins.

Minister of local government, Ernest Blythe.

Minister of agriculture, Patrick Hogan.

Minister of industry, commerce and labor, Joseph McGrath.

Minister of education, Prof. John McNeill.

Minister of defense, General Richard Mulcahy.

President Cosgrave nominated himself for the post as minister of finance. He said that those of the new ministry who were serving in the army would shortly be released.

## SEVEN SENTENCED FOR VIOLATION OF DRY LAWS FRIDAY

Big Day in County Court as Dry Law Violators are Arraigned

DRY ARMY MAKES LARGE HAUL SINCE THURSDAY

Heavy Fines and Jail Sentences 'Passed Out'

It was a big day in county court Friday when seven liquor cases were disposed of before Judge Brindley. The dry law violators were hauled into court as a result of the netting of the large force of state and federal prohibition officers who have been working in conjunction with the sheriff's office and the police department for the past few days.

Of the seven who were arraigned in court Friday afternoon all pleaded guilty. Six were given the option of paying fines or performing hard labor in the county jail, and one was sentenced to the jail without the option of a fine at the request of his attorney.

Bill Chamberlain pleaded guilty to a charge of having liquor in his possession in his restaurant at 129 1-2 South Second street, and also in the building used by him as a garage at 118 South Second street. He paid a fine of \$300 and \$2 costs. He was represented by Attorney E. E. Withrow. T. A. Thompson, proprietor of the Star restaurant at 205 Pearl street, acknowledged having "moonshine" in his place of business and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$400 or spend four months at hard labor in the county jail. He has not yet paid the fine, and has been committed to the jail until the fine is paid or his sentence served.

Had Liquor in Saloon

Ole Korstad pleaded guilty to having illegal liquor in his saloon at 520 North Fourth street. He was given a fine of \$300 and costs, which he paid.

John Campaign, proprietor of a road house on the North Saline road, entered a plea of guilty to the charge of having "moonshine" whiskey on his premises. He was sentenced to pay a fine of \$300 and costs, or to spend three months in the county jail at hard labor. He had not yet paid the fine.

Carvin Theep, who was found cooking mash in his home at 1016 St. Paul street, pleaded guilty to the charge of manufacturing illicit liquor and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$400, or to spend four months in the county jail at hard labor. He had not yet paid the fine at noon Saturday.

Gets Five Months

"Rabbit" Joe Pinger, who was arrested with "La Crosse" Mary Armstrong in the Mississippi river bottom Friday morning, was sentenced to five months in the county jail at hard labor. His attorney, E. E. Withrow, pleaded for a jail sentence in preference to a fine, saying that it would be better for his client to be kept away from the "moonshine" for a few months. Pinger is in rather bad shape from indulging too freely in his own concoctions.

Clara Fredrickson was also arrested in the river bottoms, on Goose Island, where she has a cottage. She pleaded to a charge of having a still mash and other contrivances for the manufacture of illegal liquor in her possession. She was assessed a fine of \$400 and costs, which has not yet been paid.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS SELECTION FINALLY DECIDED

Council to Elect Members from Aldermen, City Attorney, Comptroller and Engineer

ORDINANCE NOT EFFECTIVE UNTIL AFTER NEXT ELECTION

City Engineer to be Member of Board for the Present

AN important act of legislation which has been hanging fire in the common council for several months, was adopted at the regular monthly meeting Friday night when a compromise resulted in finally agreeing upon the method of selection of the board of public works for the city of La Crosse.

The ordinance which met unanimous approval provides for the election of the three members of the board by the council from the twenty-one aldermen, city attorney, city comptroller and city engineer at the June meeting following each municipal election. Under this new system the attorney and the comptroller do not automatically become members of the board upon their respective appointment and election, as has previously been the plan.

Try Old System Again

With no possible chance for the ordinance to pass until the present system of having the city engineer as a member of the board was given another trial, a compromise was offered and accepted by the opponents of the ordinance that the new measure be not effective until after the city election next April. Another matter included in the compromise was that a two-thirds vote of the council, instead of a majority vote, be required to remove any members of the present board from office.

Final adoption of the ordinance, which was voted not to take effect until next spring after the city election, will give opportunity for another trial of the board of public works with the city engineer as a member. The mayor was to submit his choice of city engineer at a special session of the council within the near future for the approval or disapproval of the council.

When the ordinance was first submitted for adoption Friday night, the vote resulted in a tie, 10 and 10, and was lost in view of the fact that a three-fourths vote is necessary for adoption of an ordinance. Alderman Murray, first voting for the ordinance, changed his vote in order to call for a reconsideration which motion was carried. The ordinance was discussed in committee of the whole, where the compromise of making the measure effective only after the next election, suggested by City Attorney O. J. Swenness, was agreed upon.

Alderman Mahoney offered the chief objection to the original ordinance, but agreed to its passage after the vote for removal was changed to two-thirds and the operation of the measure was postponed.

Adopt Bonding Ordinance

The ordinance bonding the city for \$250,000 for permanent street improvement received its third reading and was adopted. The bonds were sold to Blodgett & Company of Chicago, at a 5 per cent interest rate and a premium of \$4,755.

Alderman Verchota introduced a resolution which was adopted requesting the board of public works to advertise for and receive bids for either purchasing or leasing a dredge to be used in making a channel for motorboats at Isle La Plume.

The council discussed the purchase of a street sweeper but re-referred the matter back to the committee for the purpose of further consideration. The council adjourned until Saturday night.

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## DRUNK SENTENCED TO JAIL TO KEEP HIM FROM WIFE'S FUNERAL

RAJONE, Wis.—James Peterson, with a dead wife and six little children at home, Saturday was sentenced to five days in jail by Judge Burgess as a result of his having become intoxicated. Relatives appeared in court and asked that Peterson be restrained from attending the funeral.

The judge said that he was well aware of the cruel manner in which the prisoner had treated his wife, whose death occurred Friday, and added that while he could not sufficiently punish him, he hoped that God would.

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# SERVICES FOR SUNDAY IN CHURCHES OF LA CROSSE

**Go To Church**

## TOMORROW

**BAPTIST**  
First Baptist church—W. S. Stewart, pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:45. Our school is increasing each Sunday.  
Morning worship at 11. The subject of the sermon will be: "Man's Way or God's?"  
V. P. at 6:30.  
Evening worship at 7:30. The sermon topic will be: "The Unrecognized Capital."  
Tuesday evening the first Workers' conference of the fall will be held. Supper will be served at 6:30 by a special committee of the conference. Rev. C. J. Peterson, pastor of the Wisconsin Education for the Baptists of Wisconsin, will be the speaker. A full attendance is desired.  
Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5:30 a vacation school session will be held. All of the boys and girls were attended to church vacation school of our church last summer are cordially invited. All other children are invited to attend this school. It is the intention of the church to hold this school once a month during the fall and winter. All the instruction and equipment of the vacation school will be placed in this school. Classes will begin as soon as the children can reach the church after dismissal of the public school.  
Prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30. The subject for discussion on Wednesday night will be: "Doing His Will."  
Ladies' Industrial society will meet on Thursday at 2:30 in the church parlors. Hostesses, Mrs. Amundt and Mrs. E. E. Erickson.  
Come to the church with a spiritual message and a warm welcome.  
Scandinavian Baptist church, corner of Charles and Logan streets, T. Knudsen, pastor.  
Morning services at 10:30.  
Sunday school with Bible class from 12 to 2.  
Mr. E. A. Forss, superintendent.  
Young people's meeting at 7 p. m.  
Evening service at 7:30.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.  
A cordial invitation to all.

rector, at 10:45 a. m.  
The music at the 10:45 service, under the direction of Prof. Christopher Thornton, will be as follows:  
(a) "Prayer" from "Lohengrin".... Wagner  
(b) "Meditation" in C.... J. West  
Processional 249. "All people that on earth do dwell".... Beethoven  
Venite in A flat.... Aron  
Te Deum laudamus in C.... Stephens  
A. B. C. hymn.... Aron  
Hymn 255. "O worship the king".... Croft  
Gloria patri.... Robinson  
Offertory. "O how amiable are Thy dwellings".... Aron  
Presentation of Altar, "Doxology".... Aron  
Recessional 5. "Now that the sun is gleaming bright".... Rutledge  
Organ postlude, "Marche and Dance".... Scott  
Scotts Clark  
Choir rehearsal for the adults will be on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. and for the boys on Friday at 1:15 p. m. New members are cordially invited. Apply to choirmaster.  
St. Peter's (Episcopal) church, corner of Avon and Logan streets, north side, Rev. W. J. MacCarter, pastor.  
Services Sunday, September 10, at 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.  
Evening at 7:30 p. m.  
Topic at 10:30: "Paradoxes."  
A very cordial welcome to all.  
**LUTHERAN**  
Bethel Lutheran church, corner of George and Hill streets, Ralph Mortensen, pastor.  
Sunday—No services Sunday except the Sunday Bible school at 9:30 a. m. All classes from primary to adult Bible class in English. Your children are always welcome.  
Prayer evening choir will have lunch in the church parlors at 6:35. The Sunday school teachers meet at 8 p. m. in the church parlors Monday night.  
Tuesday evening at 7 the Boy Scouts will meet in the church parlors. Mr. Thomas Stetten, Scoutmaster.  
The Ladies Aid will be entertained in the church parlors. Miss Julia Evenson, hostess.  
Prayer meeting at Mr. P. Wingo's home Wednesday at 8 p. m.  
Thursday evening at 8 p. m. the Men's League will meet in the church parlors. A good program is assured. Everybody welcome.  
Bible school class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. in parsonage.  
Our Savior's Evangelical Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Division streets, T. Knudsen, pastor.  
Services at 10:30 a. m. Sermon in Norwegian.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.  
Ladies Aid society meets Thursday afternoon and will be entertained by Mesdames Julia Hoff, E. M. Homstad and A. Reimann.  
Boys' Scout Wednesday evening.  
Confirmation class Saturday at 9 a. m.  
Trinity Lutheran church, corner of Charles and Hill streets, E. O. V. Knudsen, pastor.  
Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sermon in Norwegian.  
Sunday school with Bible classes at 9:30 a. m.

The Men's League will meet in the church parlors Friday evening.  
The Boy Scouts will meet in the school rooms of the church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.  
The choir will meet for rehearsal Tuesday evening.  
The catechism class will meet in the Sunday school room of the church Saturday at 10 a. m.  
Immanuel Lutheran church, corner of Avon and St. Paul streets, Julius W. Berglund, pastor.  
No services because of mission festival at Onalaska, Wis. Our congregation is cordially invited to attend services at Onalaska.  
Holy Trinity English Lutheran church, West avenue south and Perry street, J. P. Eschbach, supply pastor.  
Chief service at 10:45 a. m.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.  
The catechism class will hold its first meeting Saturday, September 16th at 9:30 a. m. All parents having children of confirmation age, are requested to send them.  
The Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon. The following will entertain: Mesdames Emil Olson, L. Bakum, Rachel and V. Viner.  
German Lutheran church, corner of West and Cameron avenues, Rev. J. T. Gaudin, pastor.  
Services in English at 10 a. m. Prof. W. Rodamer of Northwestern college at Waterloo will preach the sermon. Sunday school will resume a week from Sunday, September 17, at 9 a. m.  
St. Paul's Lutheran church, West avenue and Division street, H. T. Braas, pastor.  
Services in Norwegian at 10:45 a. m. Sunday school will be held at 9:30 a. m. All the children are requested to come and bring their books and buttons. It is important that all the Sunday school teachers and pupils attend this rally as all arrangements may be completed for the opening of the Sunday school next Sunday.  
Choir rehearsal Tuesday evening. There will be a Sunday school teachers' meeting on Thursday evening at 8 p. m.  
Confirmation instruction on Saturdays at 10 a. m.  
The Queen Esther Circle meets at the home of Mrs. H. T. Braas, 417 South Thirteenth street, on Monday evening at 7:30.  
English services in the Halfway church the coming Sunday at 10 o'clock in the morning and in the Holmen church at 8 o'clock in the afternoon. Services will be conducted by Mr. Glynn, a theological student from Lutheran Seminary, St. Paul, Minn.  
**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**  
First Christian Science church, Scientist, Cass and Eighth streets.  
Sunday service at 11 a. m. Subject: "Substance."  
Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.  
Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.  
Services will be open every day except Sunday and legal holidays from 11 a. m. to 7 p. m. room 415, Bataillon National bank building, fourth floor.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
First Presbyterian church Sixth and King streets, Claude R. Shaver, minister.  
Morning worship at 10:55 will offer consideration of a theme which should be of special interest to students and teachers who have in perspective and concentration—Reactions of an Exalted Purpose. Mrs. E. L. Chiley, the soloist, will render "Glad With Me" one of her own compositions.  
Evening worship at 7:30 turns attention to the "Life Luminant," as distinguished from the "secular." Religion develops life in a manner similar to unfolding the flower or to the budding tree. This is our first evening service of the season. It will open with a gospel song program as has been our custom.  
Bible schools open at 9:45 a. m. with graded classes for all ages. Parents are invited to come with children concerned to see that they are satisfactory. Paced with competent leaders. Senior school teachers will prepare the lesson from Neh. VIII, referring to the previous study Neh. I-IV.  
Mother's Circle will hold the opening meeting in the parlors on Wednesday afternoon beginning at the usual hour. Wednesday club will meet at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Ray Shaver and Mrs. J. E. Feick, at the home of the latter, 512 King street, on Wednesday afternoon.  
The Ladies' society will be the guest of Mrs. E. S. Case, 116 South Seventeenth street, on Thursday afternoon. New acquaintances and visitors will be welcomed at all of these social meetings.  
The young people will inaugurate their Sunday evening service with an "Evening meeting" on September 10, at 7:30 p. m. The summer conference will make report of the varied activities of Christian young folk over the state.  
A new service will not be resumed this week owing to the absence of the pastor at Presbyterian and in the Milwaukee conference.  
North Presbyterian church, Dr. John Newton Strain, pastor.  
Services at eleven and eight o'clock. Evening subject: "Christ and Him Crucified."  
Evening subject: "A World Problem."  
**CONGREGATIONAL**  
The First Congregational church, Seventh and Main streets, Rev. Carlos C. Olson, pastor.  
Unfortunately the decorators are not yet through with their work and our church will not be ready for the people until early in the week. At that time it is expected that the morning service at 10:30 o'clock, the church school at its usual hours and the Young People's society in the evening will all be resumed.  
The Mission Study class of the Woman's Union will hold their annual conference at the home of Mrs. Harry Ray, 923 King street, Thursday the 11th at 8 o'clock p. m. The annual Young People's society missions will be received at that time.  
The September circle of the Woman's Union announces a luncheon in the church parlors on Saturday, September 10th from 12 to 1:30 o'clock noon. Everyone is invited.  
**EVANGELICAL**  
The Evangelical Free church, Fifth and Wisconsin streets, B. A. Jonassen, pastor.  
Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

## WHAT IS RELIGION?

ROGER BABSON, the celebrated business expert and statistician, asks the above question, and then answers it. Read the following opinion of a man whose judgment is appreciated by thousands of business men over the country.

RELIGION can not be explained any more than can electricity. But, like electricity, we know it is all powerful and that men have discovered ways of getting it in limited quantities.

CHRISTIAN RELIGION is the acceptance of God as one's Master and Source of strength through Jesus. This strength is secured through prayer. As a statistician, it seems to me that the preacher's job is to "win souls" as they call it—to put religion into the hearts of men and women—to change men's hearts.

A RELIGIOUS MAN, not only the pre-sunp 1519 814 811 811 811 811 811 811 811 811 In fact, the only way for a converted man to stay converted is through helping others to get right with God.

The above most unusual advice was part of a two-page letter sent out from the Babson offices under date of August 29th, 1922.

TAKE BABSON'S ADVICE. GET BUSY AT YOUR CHURCH TOMORROW!

We will begin a week of special meetings Sunday. Evangelist C. W. Berg will be with us. He is a graduate of the Moody Bible institute, Chicago, Ill., was pastor in Hartford, Conn., went to Norway and spent two years as an evangelist, and traveled over the whole country. He is well known in this country and we are glad to have him in La Crosse.  
Services as follows:  
Sunday morning at 10:45.  
Sunday school at 12 to 1 o'clock.  
Evening at 8 o'clock.  
Meetings every evening except Monday and Saturday. All evening services at 8 o'clock in the Norwegian language. Good singing at all services. We invite all who understand the Norwegian language to these meetings. You will enjoy them. Bring your friends.  
"God shall bring every work into judgment, with every secret thing, whether it be good, or whether it be evil." (Eccl. 12:14)  
**REFORMED**  
St. John's Reformed church, Fourth and Market streets, E. E. Schell, pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. All scholars, teachers, substitutes and scholars are urged to be present to receive for our rally day program next Sunday.  
Bible worship at 10:30 a. m. Sermon in the German language. Come and worship with us.  
Mr. A. B. Burgess, city scout executive, will meet with the Boy Scouts Tuesday evening at 7:30.

**SALVATION ARMY**  
The Salvation Army—Tonight open air meeting at 7:30 followed by praise meeting in hall.  
Sunday morning holiness meeting at 10:30.  
Company meeting (Sunday school) at 2 o'clock. All children invited.  
Salvation meeting at 8 p. m. preceded by street meeting at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday night soldiers, convicts and recruits meeting.  
Wednesday night street meeting in Holmen at 8 p. m.  
Thursday night public meeting of special interest. Come and see what goes on.  
Friday night prayer meeting at hall.  
All week night meetings held at 8 p. m.  
Not by might, nor by power but by my spirit with the Lord.  
A cordial invitation to the public.  
Capt. and Mrs. H. Van Ryn, officers in charge, 311 South Eighth street.  
**METHODIST**  
First Methodist church, Edwin C. Dixon, pastor.  
Sunday school at 10.  
Morning worship at 11. Sermon by the pastor on "The Program of the Kingdom of God."  
Junior League and King's Herald meetings at 2:30.  
Epworth League services, to which all young people of the church and congregation are invited, at 7 o'clock.  
Mid-week service Wednesday, at 7:30.  
Thursday afternoon the Women's

Missionary society will meet at the parsonage at 8 o'clock. Lesson given by Mrs. W. W. Wilkins. Election of officers for the coming year.  
West Avenue Methodist church, Rev. W. M. Price, pastor.  
Morning worship at 10:30.  
Sunday school at usual hours, 9:30 and 12.  
Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal church, J. H. Benson, pastor.  
Sunday services:  
10 a. m. Sunday school.  
11 a. m. public worship. The pastor will tell about some things and see and hear at an annual conference.  
Ralph Smith will give a report of his service of the institute at Caledonia, Wis., which he attended this summer.  
West Avenue Methodist Episcopal church.  
The Rev. A. V. Ingham, district superintendent, will preach at the morning service. No evening service. Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 173, before 6 p. m.  
W. F. Miller of West Salem republican nominee for member of the assembly from the second district, was in the city on business Saturday.  
Dawson, Alaska, has dropped from a town of 40,000 to one of 100,000.

## PLATFORM MEETING OCCUPYING TIME OF STATE CANDIDATES

Opposition Expected to Put up Sharp Fight on Many of Blaine Proposals

MADISON, Wis.—The coming platform convention of the Republican party, September 19, is at present occupying the attention of Governor Blaine and the other state officers and legislators nominated at the primaries September 5.  
Although control of the convention will be with the LaFollette forces, through the large number of candidates nominated by them, a determined fight against some of the proposals for change in tax methods is expected from the opposition legislators.  
Governor Blaine will lead his faction in the convention. He will be supported by all state officers nominated on the Republican ticket, by a majority of the assembly members and by a large number of state senators.  
Just who will lead the opposition forces is not now evident. None of the state officers nominated by the Republicans are allied with the faction, and many of their leaders in the legislature went down under the LaFollette Progressive sweep at the primary election. Senator George R. Skogman, secretary of the committee of Forty-Four, will in all probability be one of the outstanding figures of the opposition because of the leading part he took in the campaign.  
Assemblyman A. E. Marhson of Janesville and David J. Sumnerville of Ladysmith are expected to take a prominent part in opposing some of the suggestions of the administration representatives. They were leaders of the anti-administration faction in the lower house of the legislature at the last session.  
With both factions likely to side-track the prohibition issue at the platform convention, according to expression of the leaders, the division will center on the tax change proposals to be submitted by the governor. He will propose to have incorporated in the platform a plank calling for repeal of the seceder clause, and for appropriation to the tax commission of sufficient funds to investigate income tax returns of all corporations.

## SCHNEIDER TAKES NOMINATION BY A LEAD OF 162 VOTES

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Complete but not fully official returns from the contest for the republican nomination in the Ninth Wisconsin congressional district, show George J. Schneider to have been nominated over Judge Henry Grimes of Green Bay by 162 votes. Grimes, 16,707; Schneider, 16,869, and Elmer S. Hall, 12,111. Schneider is listed as a LaFollette candidate.

## OTHER INJURIES IN ACCIDENT REPORTED

C. R. Austin Has Arm Broken and Daughter, Ruth Has Three Ribs Fractured

Additional injuries in the Sater-Austin auto collision which occurred on Mormon Coulee road Thursday evening were reported Saturday morning when it was learned that C. R. Austin sustained a broken arm, while his daughter Ruth, aged 22, suffered three fractured ribs. Both were riding in the rear seat when the collision occurred and that of George Sater, called Mrs. E. Eurdick, Chicago, had her right arm broken above the elbow.  
Protesting against the first report of the accident, Kenneth Austin, who arrived shortly after the collision, states that an eye-witness of the affair claimed that the Ford had shifted to the left side of the road.  
The Austin machine was damaged considerably at the front end, the radiator being jammed, fenders crumpled and a heavy cast on the rear of the motor cracked, Kenneth Austin said.  
"Australia leads world in wool producing," U. S. leads the world in wool gathering.

## PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF TREMPLEAU HAVE LARGE ENROLLMENT

Registration of September Fourth Finds 143 Pupils Enrolled in Schools

TREMPLEAU, Wis.—(Special)—The Trempealeau public school enrolled 143 students on Monday, September 4th. So far, the high school has 38 students enrolled. In the grades the enrollment is as follows: Seventh and eighth, 22; fifth and sixth, 21; third and fourth, 32; first and second, 32.  
The faculty members are: C. E. Gussing, principal; June Giles, assistant principal; Bernice Hays, seventh and eighth grades; Lucy Holmes, fifth and sixth grades; Dorothy Hays, third and fourth grades; Audine Nichols, first and second grades.  
Watch for the dates of the lecture course which the high school will give this year. There will be four good numbers as follows: Berkeley Concert Trio; Edwin Brush, the musician; Lincoln Jubilee Singers, and Bob Briggs, the entertainer. All of these are first class attractions.  
Epitaph:  
"Here Lies a Fisherman."  
They keep it up even when they are dead.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

## City Briefs

Dance Yeomen Hall, Sat., Sam Peavy's Texas Jazz band. Extra attraction.  
Wealthy apples 50c per bushel and up. Cook and Harris, La Crosse, Minn.  
Plumbing as it should be done. W. L. Schram, Phone 46.  
Miss Ethel Bluer has gone to Du-juth and St. Paul for a visit with friends and relatives.  
The fall term of the Keefe Business College (Tri-State) 4th and Pearl sts., La Crosse, Wis., will begin Sept. 12, 1922. The courses offered are bookkeeping, commercial law, penmanship, banking, shorthand, typewriting, correspondence, office management, private secretarial, high school subjects, languages, music, etc. Day and evening sessions. Special rates of tuition offered to those who enroll now. Call, phone or write today.  
Fried Spring chicken is the ideal evening lunch. Your choice of the chicken, 30c. E. A. Schultz, 217 Pearl.  
Mrs. A. B. Moll has returned from Spring Bank, where she spent the summer.  
Automobile Repairing. H. N. Fauer, 1425 George.  
Wanted 2 experienced salesmen Good wages. Address Box 504, City.  
Unpaved country roads were reported muddy today, following the heavy rain, and tourists will do well to keep on improved roads for a day or two.  
Rainbow Gardens, Dancing every Tues., Wed. and Sat.  
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Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Linber Bldg. Hours, 10 to 4, except Sat.  
Dance.—Wm. F. Gaurisch, Sun. Sept. 10.  
The four apartment building reconstructed by Adolph Colby out of the former Christian Science church in King street between Fifth and Sixth streets has been completed and families are now moving in.  
Dancing at Clifford Inn, State Road, Sat., Sun. and Wed. evenings.  
Largest line of electric fixtures to pick from in the city, Linber Bldg., Osteopathy, Dr. Jorris Newburg Bg.  
The Misses Block, 533 Main street have returned from their vacation.  
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Work on the construction of a power plant at Caledonia has begun. The plant is to be an auxiliary of the Root River Power Co., and is to be housed in a building 50x30 feet constructed of cement block on the site west of the depot on land recently purchased from The Community Oil Co. A Preston firm will construct the building.  
Chiropractic, Rishmiller, Palmer Graduate, 410 Linber Bldg.  
Rainbow Gardens, Dancing every Tues., Wed. and Sat.  
D. M. Lange, clerk of the circuit court in Crawford county, with his wife and mother-in-law, Mrs. O. L.

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PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Judge Crawford refused to parole Alexander Howat, deposed leader of the Kansas miners' union.



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# In The MOVIES

## "FOOLS FIRST"—RIVOLI

The story of "Fools First," produced by Marshall Neilan and which is closing today at the Rivoli Theater, tells of the regeneration of a crook through the wiles of the daughter of a master crook. She apparently abets him in his carefully planned crime, but really aids him in building up a legitimate and highly profitable business for the firm he originally intended to rob. The plot contains some ingenious twists and is extremely absorbing.

## RIVIERA TODAY

Because of his training, he prefers the dramatic to the narrative form of photoplay. The finds better material for this type of screen play. In the stage play of the day, "The William de Mille's explanation of his preference for stage plays as material for motion pictures, "Nice People," his current production, at the Riviera Theater, tonight was one of the season's successes of the spoken stage.

"HURRICANE'S GAL"—MAJESTIC  
Dorothy Phillips, who has the starring role in "Hurricane's Gal," now playing at the Majestic Theater, is

usually quite ready to make any sacrifice or put herself to any inconvenience that is necessary to the success of her photoplays. But when it came to hobnobbing her hair for "Hurricane's Gal," she made strenuous objections, for years she consistently refused to part with her mass of dark brown hair, but when she found that her role in the production would absolutely require her to part with her tresses she agreed to submit to the shears. In "Hurricane's Gal," Miss Phillips has the role of a girl of the sea who rules the smuggling schooner bequeathed to her by her father.

## CASINO TODAY

Daisy Robinson, the dainty little blond ingenue who has the leading feminine role in "Partners of the Tide," at the Casino, has been on the legitimate stage since her baby-hood days. Besides her stage experience, exceptionally wide for one so young, Miss Robinson has appeared in a number of pictures.

"Partners of the Tide," as will be gathered from its title is a sea story—the type of work, it is said, for which Mr. Willat's talents best fit him. There is a lot of action in it and a singularly tender love theme.

## STRAND TODAY

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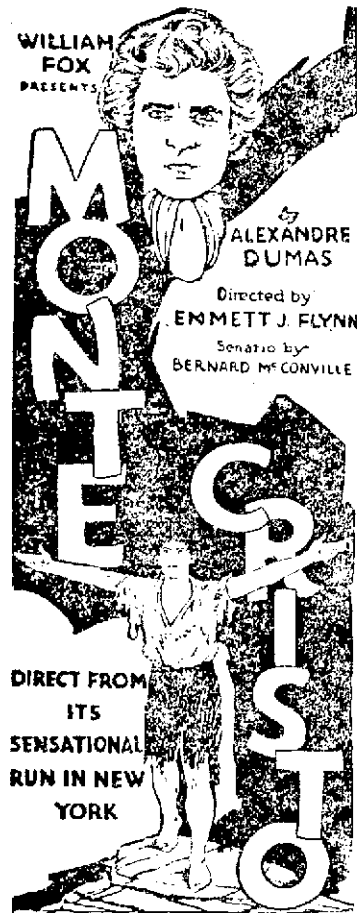
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## NAMING OF COUNTY COAL COMMITTEES PROPOSED BY STATE

Organizing Machinery to Meet all Emergencies During the Coming Winter

## INTERSTATE COMMITTEE TO DISTRIBUTE PRIORITY COAL

State Has Representative on Northwest Body at St. Paul

MADISON, Wis.—Coal committees in each of the 71 Wisconsin counties responsible for reporting the fuel needs of their district to the state committee, are proposed in a report made Saturday by the Wisconsin fuel committee. With rationing of coal to be necessary during this winter, the state is preparing machinery to meet all emergencies.

In a letter to be sent to county officers, the state committee expresses the belief that by the appointment of a county coal organization the question of urgent requests for coal, and the placing of priority requests with the state office can be more expeditiously handled.

Suggestion is made that a committee of three be named, one a coal dealer, one a man prominent in industry, and the other a representative of the public. These three men would pass upon all requests for priority coal orders in each county and would forward the requests to the state office with approval.

Through this arrangement the coal distribution machinery for operation in the northwest during the coming winter would be perfected from a national committee, to county committees, each watching the needs of its districts.

Representatives of Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota are in Washington now working with the interstate commerce commission to see that coal shipments are expedited to the northwest states. Assurance of 3,000,000 tons weekly has been given by the commission.

A committee made up of representatives of the northwest states is to be stationed at St. Paul to distribute the fuel on a priority basis. Wisconsin will also have a representative at Milwaukee or Madison who will have charge of distribution of Lake Michigan coal within the state.

C. E. Schreiber, state director for the railroad commission, is at St. Paul for this state, and Secretary Presson of the state coal committee will take charge of distribution of coal within Wisconsin.

Rationing will be necessary throughout the winter, Mr. Presson believes. By working through county committees, he believes that the situation can be met without trouble during the winter months.

"IT'S THE BUNK" M'ADOO COMMENT AN "CANDIDACY"

IDAHO FALLS, Idaho.—William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury Saturday characterized as "pure bunk" a recent press report from New York in which William C. Lyons of Denver, Colo., said Mr. McAdoo had told him that he would be a candidate for the democratic presidential nomination in 1924.

"There is nothing further from my mind than a return to life," Mr. McAdoo stated. He added that "my change of residence from Washington to California was intended to remove me from... to injure me into politics."

RAIL CHIEFS ALSO MEET IN CHICAGO TO DISCUSS PEACE

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ment. It was also said the question of seniority is not entirely cleared up even under the Baltimore plan and that it promises still to be a stumbling block.

It is believed the Baltimore plan is really nothing more than a proposed method of policy of settlement rather than a statement of terms. It is also thought that it sets forth that as many roads as possible will be no compromise. It becomes necessary for the union policy committee to authorize its officers to negotiate individual agreements with such roads as will settle.

Agreements Not Uniform

Those separate agreements need not necessarily be uniform, some roads agreeing to yield more ground than others. The policy committee may be asked to give the officers broad power to negotiate the best possible settlement with each road willing to compromise.

A certain group of roads as represented by President Willard are said to be holding out for settlement on the basis of the "maximum offer" of the minority roads at Washington. Some of the roads are said to be willing to go even farther than that.

Hard to Tell

By the—In reconstructing matters what shall we do with the weaker sex? Gaye—Which is it?—London Answers

In Generous Mood

First Workingman—What sort of a job have you got now?

Second Workingman—Oh, I collect alms on the Putnam bridge, between midnight and 1 o'clock in the morning.

First Workingman—Are the people particularly generous there at that hour?

Second Workingman—Yes. They generally give me everything they



NORMA TALMADGE, who appears at the Rivoli Sunday in "The Eternal Flame."

## HEAVY RAIN AVERTS DANGER TO MUSCODA FROM PRAIRIE FIRE

Fire Fighters Aided by Storm Subdue Blaze at Edge of the City

MUSCODA, Wis.—A heavy thunder shower Friday afternoon saved this city from the ravages of a prairie fire which swept through northern Grant county, causing injury to six persons and damaging crops.

The blaze was put out by 100 fire-fighters at the edge of town, after rain had aided them in getting the fire under control. Three persons seriously injured, were on their way to Madison for hospital treatment today while three others, overcome fighting the fire were taken care of by local doctors.

Sparks from a passing locomotive started the prairie fire in the dry fields four miles outside the city. Caught in a strong wind, the blaze grew in size until it extended over an area nearly a mile wide, carrying all before it.

Frank Lagen, 28, and his two children, one six years old and the other three, were trapped in the fire as they drove across the country in an automobile and were seriously burned. Two fire-fighters were overcome and Jacob Hoffner, 61, a farmer, was badly burned.

Just as the blaze reached the edge of the town a heavy thunder shower broke, while the wind subsided. The hundreds of fire-fighters, reinforced their efforts and got the fire under control.

There had been no rain in this section for over five weeks, the dry fields affording the best food for a prairie fire.

## 3-YEAR-OLD BOY KILLED BY TRUCK IN CAPITAL CITY

MADISON, Wis.—Donald Connors, three-year-old boy, was killed Saturday when run over by a truck of the John Findor Contracting company. The boy darted in front of the automobile and stumbled and fell just as it reached him. He died before reaching a hospital.

## PROJECT ON FOOT TO DAM HAMMOND AND GIBB CHUTES

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the city would be done away with and the city would then be able to construct a fine bathing pool on the north side, a thing which is impossible now with the condition of the water from the Logan street sewer.

"Sand and silt taken from the river by dredging would greatly improve the banks and property, and make the streams navigable. All this could be done for one fourth of the expense of building a sewage disposal plant."

Old Problem

The people of this vicinity have been confronted with the problem of diverting the course of the Black river for more than 17 years. In the old days when lumbering was still carried on, the Black River Improvement company constructed a dam across the entrances of Hammond and Gibb chutes, but this was carried away by a spring flood. The Black River Improvement company having lapsed into history with the passing of lumbering from this part of the country, nothing was done to rebuild the old dam.

Hunters and fishermen are keenly interested in the proposed change in the course of Black river. It is said that the fishing in the Black river would be greatly improved, and that Rice Lake at the north end of French Island would again become a favorite feeding ground for ducks.

A meeting of the committee of the city council, the board of supervisors, the city of Oshkosh and interested citizens will be held soon to investigate further. The party will be taken to different points along the river to see at first hand what result the proposed changes will bring about.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jacob Scholl and wife to Frank Feiber, for \$90, lot 1, block 8, Loomis and Harvey's addition to the city of La Crosse.

Alphons Hussa and wife to Charles R. Sandefur, for \$50, north half of lot 3, Sunset Point addition to the town of Campbell.

A. M. Benson and wife, to Frank Roehel and wife, for one dollar and other valuable considerations, lot 1, block 4, in Math Hoegly's addition to the city of La Crosse.

Camels sometimes live to the age of 100 years.

## NEW STAR MAKES APPEARANCE IN GOLF FIRMAMENT

Jesse Sweetser, Metropolitan Title Holder, Leads Champion Evans at End of 18 Holes

BROOKLINE, Mass.—By The Associated Press.—A new head was pushing up in the gallery of golf champions Saturday and an old one was being howled when Jesse Sweetser, metropolitan titleist, led Chick Evans, twice national champion, 3 up at the end of the first 18 holes of their final match at 36 holes for the national amateur championship.

Sweetser was good but not as good as Friday. Evans was off in approaching and putting.

Sweetser gained much of his advantage through Evans' lack of judgment at distance. Evans' approaches twice were almost dead to the pin, only to overrun into the rough or traps. Other times they were short, and he floundered about trying to get out.

Sweetser was steadiness personified. In a trap at the fifth when Evans was three feet from the pin and lay there for a long time, Sweetser gained a half when Chick rimmed the cup. The situation struck his keynote of steadiness for the round.

The Metropolitan champion was four on the western thirteenth on the fifteenth hole after winning four out of five holes, the only break being a half at the thirteenth. They had turned with Sweetser one up and Chick won the tenth with a birdie three when he holed from five feet and Sweetser missed a ten-foot putt.

## TWO RESIDENTS OF TREMPLEAU ARE CALLED BY DEATH

Richard Gillies and Thomas F. Miller Pass Away September Second

TREMPLEAU, Wis.—Special.—Richard Gillies, one of the oldest residents of Southern Trempealeau county, died at his home Sept. 2. He had been in failing health a number of years, but not until last May did his condition become serious.

Funeral services were held Monday from the home, conducted by the Rev. C. H. Phillips. There was a large attendance of neighbors and old friends.

Mr. Gillies was born in the town of Alto, Fond du Lac County, Nov. 6, 1819. He came to Trempealeau County in June 1855, when a mere boy. His home was on South Prairie all his days thereafter. For sixty-five years he resided in this community. He was married Jan. 20, 1881, to Margaret Davidson, who with a son, Hugh, survives him.

Thomas F. Miller died Saturday morning at his home here. Funeral services were conducted from the M. E. Church Monday afternoon by the Rev. C. H. Phillips, pastor of the Galesville Presbyterian church. Interment was made in Trempealeau cemetery. Mr. Miller was a native of New York state, where he was born Feb. 12, 1855. When a young man he removed to Rushford, Minn., where he married Miss Clara Coolidge. To them were born six children. Those and the widow survive him. The children are: Judson Miller, Sioux Falls, S. D.; Charles, Earl, Frank, George and Joseph, all of Trempealeau. For more than forty years he was a member of the church and was a very devout Christian.

## BAD CHECK PASSED AT MIKE MONSOOR POOL ROOM HERE

William Clemons, Painter, Leaves City After Passing Bogus Check for \$25

Police are searching for William Clemons, painter, who roomed at 608 State street, and who passed a bogus check for \$25 at the Mike Monsoor pool room at 223 North Third street last Saturday night, police said Saturday.

According to Monsoor's story to the police, Clemons loaned \$5 from him and after he repaid the debt on Saturday, asked Monsoor to cash a check for \$25. Monsoor discovered that the check was worthless when he presented it for payment at the bank last Monday.

Clemons, it seems, has resided in the city for some time. Monsoor went to his rooming place on State street when he found the check worthless, but was informed that Clemons had left the city.

## DISASTROUS STORM SWEEPS APPLETON BOY FATALLY HURT

APPLETON, Wis.—Fred Lietz, 12, a newsboy, is dying in St. Elizabeth hospital with a compound fracture of the skull as the result of a violent wind and thunderstorm here late Friday afternoon in which damage running into thousands was done. A section of the coping fell three stories from the roof of a building and struck him.

The steeple of St. Mary's Catholic church, more than 100 feet high, was blown over. Father W. J. Fitzmaurice was the only person near and narrowly escaped death. He had just stepped inside the building out of its path.

Farm buildings, trees and signboards were partially wrecked and many telephone and light wires are down.

## WHOOPING COUGH MUST BE REPORTED SAYS STATE AGENT

Dr. Sears, Deputy State Health Officer Takes Cognizance of Epidemic Here

That whooping cough is a serious disease with far-reaching effects if not properly controlled, is the declaration of Dr. H. B. Sears, deputy health officer of the state, who is in La Crosse to aid in stamping out an epidemic of the disease in the rural sections east of the city. In an interview today Dr. Sears said:

"Whooping cough is becoming prevalent in portions of the country. Whooping cough should be reported and placarded. Children having some should not leave the premises nor should other children, not members of the family, be permitted to enter the premises."

"The law states that heads of families and physicians must report such cases or be subject to a fine. It becomes the duty of any one having knowledge of communicable diseases to report the same to the health officer. No disease can be said to be free from danger. Therefore any one exposing another to a communicable disease is intentionally or through carelessness, is responsible for the results which follow. And any one failing to report a case is equally responsible for the spread of the disease. Whooping cough is a serious trouble, many times leaving the lungs weak and susceptible to other diseases or complications. Mothers are very unwise to allow their children to be exposed to the disease and families having the disease, and exposing others, can not excuse themselves from blame. Children must remain away from school for eight weeks, or one week after the cough has disappeared. Let us show a proper community spirit and co-operate for the suppression of the disease. Some child will be left weakened or will die as the result of this epidemic. Will you or I be responsible for this calamity? Only so far as we have neglected our duty and responsibility in the matter."

DR. MAYO CALLED TO CAPITAL BY ILLNESS OF PRESIDENT'S WIFE

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able, will not be reached until after the arrival of Dr. Charles H. Mayo of Rochester, Minn., who is now on his way to Washington and is expected here late Saturday night or early Sunday. An examination and consultation will be held immediately.

It was emphasized at the white house that both the president and Mrs. Harding hold every confidence in Dr. Sawyer, especially in view of his personal attendance upon Mrs. Harding on the occasion of similar attacks in the past. As a matter of precaution however, specialists have been called in for consultation and others are en route to the white house.

Dr. John Finney of Baltimore, who is already on the scene, Dr. Charles H. Mayo of Rochester, Minn., and other physicians are expected to make an examination on arrival of Dr. Mayo at 7:45 a. m. Sunday when a decision will be reached as to the necessity of an operation.

Failure of Mrs. Harding's condition to respond to the treatment which had proven efficacious in the past was the basis of much of the anxiety evidenced around the white house.

A constant stream of followers and messages of sympathy from friends in Washington and cities throughout the country reached the white house during the day. Government officials continued to call to make personal inquiries and to leave messages of encouragement for their chief.

## FORD TO GET COAL: WILL AVOID SHUT-DOWN

DETROIT, Mich.—Hope that a contract would be signed in Cincinnati today by representatives of Henry Ford and a Cincinnati coal company whereby the Ford Motor company would obtain sufficient fuel to avert the threatened shut-down of its three large plants here September 16, was voiced at the motor company's office Saturday.

From a reliable source it was learned that representatives of Mr. Ford had informed the automobile manufacturer they expected to sign a contract with Ernest F. Heasley, president of the American Export and Inland Coal company, with offices in Cincinnati.

## HEAT WAVE BROKEN

CHICAGO, Ill.—The heat wave which in four days has been held responsible for ten deaths and numerous prostrations, was ended early Saturday and at 9 o'clock, after intermittent showers, the temperature had dropped to 72 degrees. The weather forecast predicted fair and cooler weather Sunday.

A shift of wind to the north spelled the end of the extreme heat. The maximum Friday was 96.4 at 4 p. m.

## DEMPSEY OFFERED PURSE OF MILLION FOR THREE FIGHTS

NEW YORK.—One million dollars for three fights was the prize dangled before Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion Saturday by James C. Firoth, of San Diego.

Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager, and Jack are both in Syracuse. Upon their return "Sunshine Jim" says they will have a "chat" over the million dollar offer. Whether the bouts would be staged in Mexico City, London, Paris or New York is an open question.

Wills, Brennan, Willard, Johnson, Firpo—these are the men from whom the three contenders for the title will probably be picked. Coffroth, who arrived Friday from Mexico City, has not made his choice known as yet.

## FARMERS' TAX CONFERENCE CALLED FOR SEPTEMBER 18 BY NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE

MADISON, Wis.—A call for a farmers' legislative conference to propose means of bringing about reduction of taxes in Wisconsin was issued Saturday by Chester C. Platt, state manager of the Wisconsin Non-partisan league. The conference is set for Monday, September 18, the day before the regular party conventions, with all progressive farm organizations invited to attend.

Mr. Platt in his call explains that the prime object of the conference "is to direct public attention to the evils of the present tax laws which are forcing many farmers into bankruptcy, and to arouse a widespread sentiment for change that will remedy these conditions."

The call for the convention, besides demanding increased income taxes, farm improvements exemption, a graded registration tax on automobiles, the repeal of the personal property offset, the secrecy clause of the income tax law, and taxation to force idle lands in use, calls for a repeal of the dog tax law, and protests against the establishment of a gasoline sales tax.

Governor John J. Blaine will open the conference with an address of welcome Monday morning. His opening address will be followed by a talk on taxation to force into use idle lands held to speculative purposes given by Lieut. Gov. G. F. Comings, a member of the executive council of the Nonpartisan league. Judge Charles D. Rosa of

the tax commission is to talk on the advisability of increasing income taxes to lower general property taxes.

The need for tax exemption for farmers on their improvements will be discussed by Edward Nordman, commissioner of markets. He proposes a tax exemption on farm improvements up to \$1500.

Elmer S. Hall, secretary of state, is to speak in advocacy of a graded registration tax on automobiles, starting with \$5 for the cheaper cars and running up to \$25 for a larger machine. A saving to farmers would result from the proposed change, Mr. Hall believes.

D. M. Stauffacher, an income tax assessor of Monroe, is to discuss the proposed repeal of the personal property offset, showing how it would place a greater burden on incomes while relieving general property from some taxation. L. A. Gordon, assistant secretary of state will speak, advocating repeal of the secrecy clause of the income tax law.

The conference, Mr. Platt said, will appoint a committee to go before the platform conventions of September 19 and ask for the adoption of planks providing for the farmers' program for reduced farm taxes. It will also appoint a permanent legislative committee to attend hearings on bills which will be introduced at the next session of the legislature to carry out the tax reform measures agreed upon.

## DOW AND GILL WIN IN OLD LAND CASE HOLDS JUDGE REID

Judgment Amounting to \$20,000 Rendered in Action Hanging Fire Seven Years

Marking the conclusion of the last chapter in a case which has been in litigation for seven years, Judge Reid of Waushara has handed down a decision in the action of the La Crosse Land and Investment company against Charles M. Dow, T. H. Gill et al., and the action of Dow and Gill against the La Crosse Land and Investment company, holding against the latter and rendering judgment of approximately \$20,000 in favor of Dow and Gill.

This litigation started as a result of a controversy between stockholders and land salesmen over Montana land bought by the La Crosse Land and Investment company. The suit of the investment company was brought against Dow, Gill, Edward Lyons, Thomas Morris and others originally. The court in previous trials relieved all but Dow and Gill of responsibility. Now Dow and Gill obtain judgment for \$20,000. The investment company being directed to pay them for their stock and accumulated profits accruing from the sale of the land. Profits have been distributed to other stockholders.

The last case, in which two actions were merged, was tried here during the May term of circuit court before Judge Reid, who has just rendered his decision.

## EDWARD HODOUS IS KILLED IN A TRAIN COLLISION

Former Resident of La Crosse Meets Instant Death Near Spokane, Wash.

Edward H. Hodous, aged 38, engineer on a work train, was instantly killed when his engine collided head-on with a passenger train traveling at the rate of 70 miles an hour, near Spokane, Wash., according to a message received by relatives here today.

Mr. Hodous formerly resided in La Crosse. Surviving are his wife and two little children, who are visiting in Minnesota, and the following brothers and sisters, Mrs. Alice Richmond and Charles Hodous of La Crosse; Mrs. Emma Barnhardt, Chicago; Mrs. William Stogdill, Stoughton, Wis.; Mrs. A. P. Hoberd, Atlanta, Ga.; Ernest Hodous, Chicago; Arthur of Boise City, Idaho; Joseph and Gertrude Hodous, Seattle; Frank Hodous, Minneapolis; Mrs. Flora Schlicht, Buffalo, Wyo.

## CONGRESS CONFEREES AGREE ON FLEXIBLE TARIFF PROVISIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—An agreement on the valuation and flexible tariff provisions of the republican tariff bill was reported Saturday to have been reached by the senate and house republican conferees under which the principal provisions of the senate would be retained with their basis of foreign instead of American valuation for calculating duties.

The valuation was said to be a compromise with the house managers yielding the larger part of the American valuation plan as carried in the house bill. The basis plan in the bill, it was said, would be an adoption of the senate plan for assessment of duties upon foreign valuation.

## SLASHES WRIST IN ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Thomas Weston, 21, of Milwaukee, was found with his left wrist slashed in the Y. M. C. hotel Saturday. The police suspect Weston was disappointed in love. They found a framed photograph of a girl in his room. Weston said the picture was that of a Milwaukee girl. He had cut his wrist with a safety razor blade.

The zebra sharp of the Indian ocean attains a length of fifteen feet.

The Persians were said to think fire to be a god.

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Naturalized Americans have been instructed to leave the town.

Turkish nationalists' vanguards have been reported fifteen miles from the city.

## MRS. GERTRUDE SIEBRECHT DIES SUDDENLY HERE

Became Ill While at Work and Succumbs Within Few Minutes

Mrs. Gertrude Siebrecht, aged 48, became suddenly ill and died within a few minutes while at her work as cook in the basement of the Rodaca club about 8:40 Saturday morning. She resided at 508 Cass street.

According to a statement of J. J. Press, proprietor of the Rodaca club, Mrs. Siebrecht came to work at the first hour Saturday morning, apparently in as good health as ever. She was working in the basement kitchen, he said, when she suddenly fell to the floor and passed away shortly. She had been employed at the club for about two years, it was said.

Mrs. Siebrecht is survived in her immediate family by one son, Raymond Fraebrecht of St. Paul, and two daughters, Mrs. Leight of Los Angeles, Calif., and Effie, who has made her home with her mother. She is also survived by her father, Henry Appel, and four sisters, Mrs. J. V. Kinzie, Mrs. Minnie Bernd, Mrs. Charles Harzor and Mrs. Charles Jordan, all of La Crosse, and by one brother, Henry of Chicago.

The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

## YOUNG MEN HAVE CHANCE TO GET INTO COAST GUARD

The United States Coast Guard will hold competitive examination for appointment of cadets and cadet engineers, commencing September 25, 1922.

Cadets are trained to become line officers, and the age limits for appointments are 18 to 24 years. Cadet engineers are trained to become engine officers, and the age limits for appointment are 20 to 25 years. Cadets and cadet engineers are trained and educated at the coast guard academy at New London, Conn., and each summer are taken on an extended practice cruise.

Cadets and cadet engineers receive the same pay and allowances as midshipmen in the navy (\$780 per annum and one ration per day). Upon graduation, after three years in the academy, a cadet becomes a commissioned officer in the grade of ensign in the United States coast guard. A cadet engineer, upon graduation, after one year at the Academy, is commissioned an ensign (engineer). Commissioned officers of the Coast Guard rank with officers in the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and receive corresponding pay and allowance, grade for grade.

Examinations will be held at Boston, New London, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Norfolk, Savannah, Key West, Mobile, Galveston, Buffalo, Detroit, Chicago, Fort Stanton, San Francisco, Seattle, and such other places as may be designated.

For further particulars write to The Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, Washington, D. C.

## OBITUARY

MRS. BERTHA MASEEGER

Mrs. Bertha Maseeger, former resident of La Crosse and Brownsville, Minn., who in recent years has resided in McClusky, N. D., died at that place on September 5. Her remains were brought to La Crosse and buried in Oak Grove cemetery Friday, the services being private.

Deceased is survived by three daughters and one son, Mrs. William Elshy of Milwaukee, Wis., Mrs. J. Billmeyer and Mrs. H. Billmeyer of McClusky, N. D., and E. J. Maseeger of Chicago.

CAUSE OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our recent illness. P. D. J. of A. Local No. 34, and those who sent floral offerings, Mrs. Otto Smith, Mrs. John M. Clum, Mrs. Paul Kerr, Mrs. Oscar M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith.

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# BIG CASHTON TRUCK TURNS OVER AND MASHES CARGO ON THE PORTLAND HILL

## ON THE PORTLAND HILL

L Rudolph, owner of the La. Crosse-Cashton truck and his driver had narrow escape from serious injury or perhaps death when their truck, heavily laden with merchandise enroute from this city to Cashton, overturned on the Portland hill, five miles this side of Cashton, late Friday afternoon.

The driving shaft of the big car broke and the machine an instant later started to back down the hill. Both Rudolph and his driver jumped as the machine gained momentum on the grade, and an instant later the car, having backed down the hill 100 feet crashed into the side of the embankment and turned upside down. Ice cream, sugar, beverages, flour and other produce was mixed up in one mass and a valuable cargo of merchandise was badly damaged. The top of the machine was damaged. The two men were unhurt.

**LA CROSSE DAY AT  
CALEDONIA FAIR  
NEXT THURSDAY**

Large Attendance of Citizens  
from Gateway City Ex-  
pected at Big Show

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**CHICAGO PRODUCE** — Settled, creamery, extra, 55¢; firsts, 52 to 54¢; extra firsts, 50 to 57½¢; seconds, 50 to 51½¢; thirds, 48 to 50¢; fourths, 46 to 48¢; unbranded, receipts, 0.355 case.

Poultry—Alive, lower; fowls, 14 to 22¢; spring, 22¢; roasters, 14¢.

**POTATOES** —

**CHICAGO** — No. 1 Potatoes — Slightly stronger; receipts 4, extra, total United States shipment, 100,000 bushels. Selected Cobblers, 90¢ to \$1.05 cwt.; bulk Cobblers, \$1.50 to \$1.10 cwt.; Minnesota, 1.00 to 1.10 cwt.; Idaho, 1.00 cwt.; sacked Red Rivers, 1.00 to \$1.10 cwt.

domin fair, which will be held August 12, 13, 14 and 15, 1906, at the Chamber of Commerce, Thursday, September 14, will afford an opportunity for growers and manufacturers to meet the La Crosse an excellent opportunity to attend the California fair and meet their people.

All of the La Crosse boosters who want to do their part are requested to meet at the Chamber of Commerce Thursday, the 14th, at 11 a. m., in the room of the California. All who have names are requested to call the chamber if they will go and the number of

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**DOCTOR HELD FOR  
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CHICAGO, ILL., MAY 11.

**Postmortem Shows Death of Woman Was Caused by Operation**

ROCKFORD, Ill., Aug. 10.—A coroner's jury Saturday recommended the holding of Dr. Charles W. Blanchard of Janesville, Wis., on a charge of second degree murder, following the death of Mrs. Lena Sauftner, whose death, it was ascertained in an autopsy, was caused by an operation.

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proceeds, resulting from the conviction of the defendant, was marked by the dramatic reappearance of Miss Josephine Griffen, who disappeared Friday morning and for whom authorities searched all night. Miss Griffen's testimony that she accompanied Mrs. Saufnauer to the office of the manager in Jerseyville, coupled with Mrs. Saufnauer's deathbed statement that he was responsible, was the basis on which the verdict was returned.

S. G. Dunwiddle, district attorney

gent at the highest level. The defendant fought with the alleged conspirators in obtaining a warrant for Dr. Blanchard on his arrival in Janesville. "The circumstance that the alleged operation was performed in Wisconsin, while death of the victim occurred in Illinois, is presenting knotty legal problems to authorities."

**"WHY WIVES GO WRONG" OPENS**

**TO GOOD HOUSE**

**Heat and Rain Fail to Stop Attendance at Season's First Show**

Despite hot weather and an untimely rain in the evening, "Why Wives Go Wrong" opened with fairly good houses at the La Crosse theater on Monday, the first real show of the 1922-23 season. It was well received.

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da Graham, leading woman.  
A special feature of the "Ladies only" matinee was a complete discourse after the third act by Miss Graham.  
Miss Graham has had experience in social service work in New York city and Chicago and it is of this particularly that she spoke. She related actual experiences and delved into the very bottom of the alluring subject discussed in the play.  
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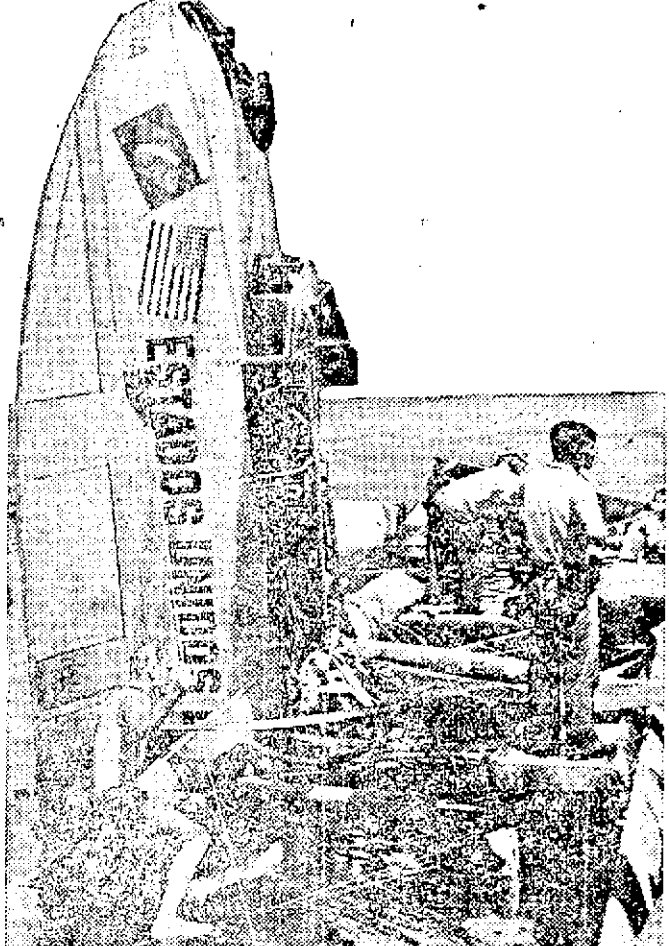
**DUBBING A KNIGHT**—Admiral Von Barth, Regent of Hungary, dubbing one of the 740 war heroes upon whom he bestowed the accolade of knighthood at a recent session of Hungary's new order of chivalry.



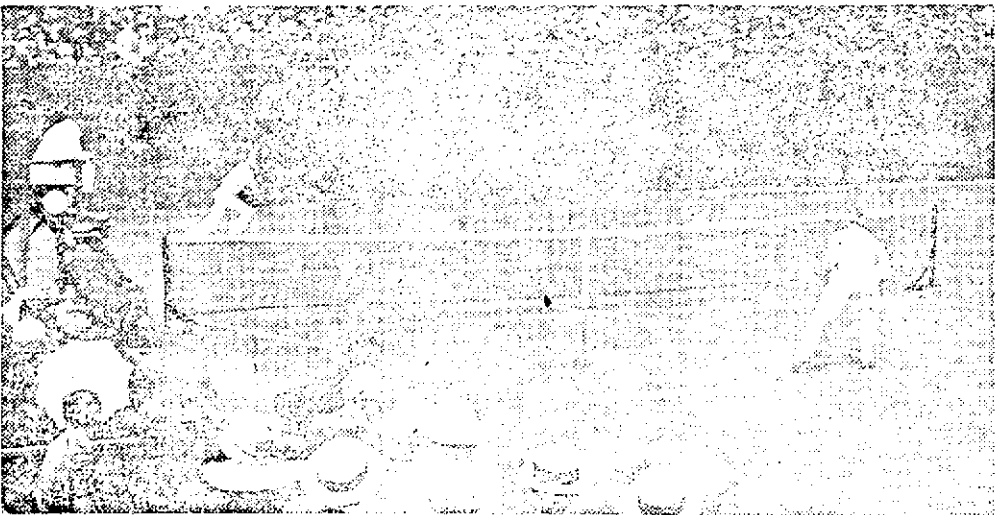
**TWISTER**—You've heard tell of these Nebraska twisters, haven't you? If you haven't seen one here's a good photograph of one made from a cyclone cellar near Lincoln, Neb.



**SAN FRANCISCO**—Tansia Zara is San Francisco's choice to represent the Golden Gate city at a pageant in Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 6-8. Miss Zara won the trip by being declared the prettiest in a citywide beauty contest.



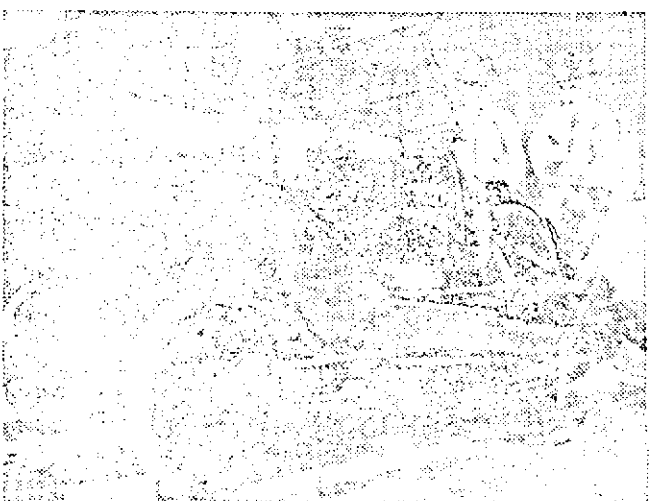
**PLANE WRECKED IN BRAZIL FLIGHT**—Here's the wreck of the Sampaio Correia which crashed into the sea off the coast of Cuba on the way from New York to Brazil. A new plane is being prepared for Walter Hinton, pilot, and his crew.



**DEBUT BEATING WORLD'S CHAMPION**—Gerald Patterson, winner of Wimbledon, and captain of the Australian challenge for the Davis Cup, in later round, making a spectacular play, by in his match against "Big Bill" Tilden at Forest Hills. The match was of little use. The Australian won in straight sets.



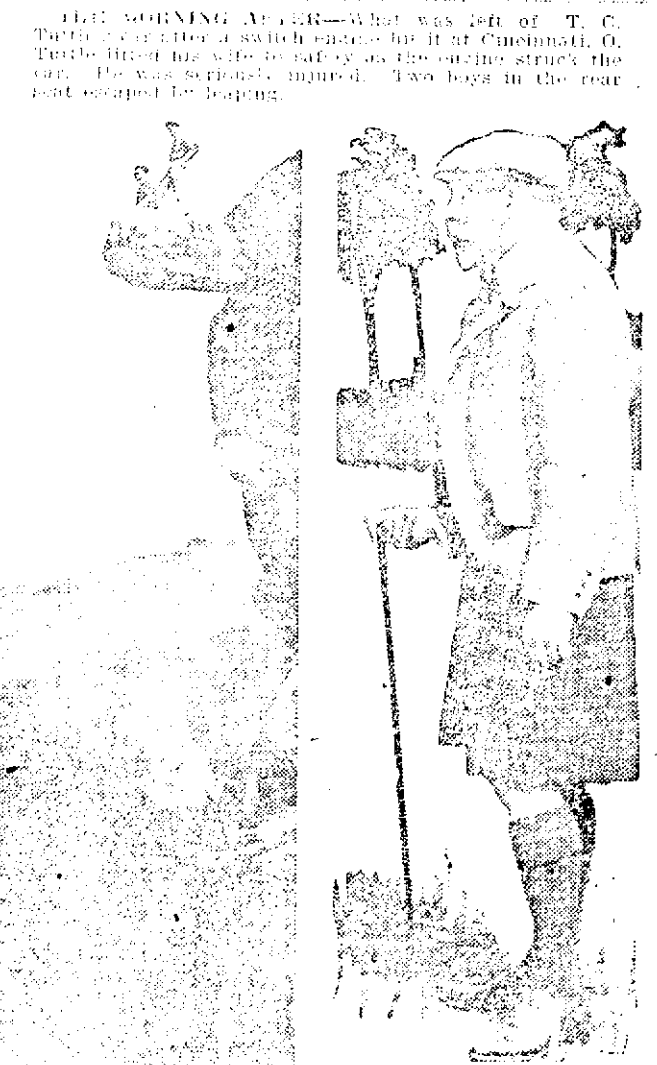
**WINNING**—Gertrude Godbold won her heat in the 200-meter run at the Women's International Track Meet at the Pershing Stadium, Paris. She was one of the best point winners of the American team, which finished second in total points.



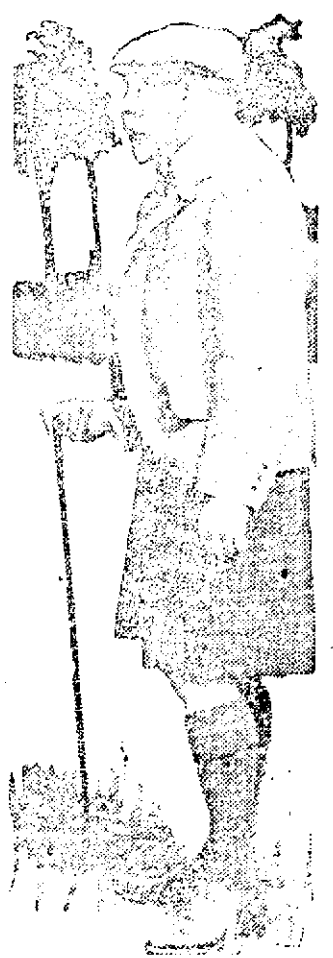
**THE MORNING AFTER**—What was left of T. C. Taylor after a fatal crash landed him at Cincinnati, O. Taylor tried his wife to safety as the engine struck the car. He was seriously injured. Two boys in the rear seat escaped by leaping.



**SUED FOR BABY**—In the aftermath of a romance, Julia Tovey, Chicago, is being sued for the custody of her three-year-old baby. The action is being brought in a Brooklyn court by Edward J. Groom, her ex-husband, who lived with his bride six days.



**IF THEY FALL**—Males who dare one to look at the phantoms of these crows perch on the overhanging Rock in Yosemite National Park. Look now for their drop before they'd land if they were to trip.



**FIFTY**—He's George, King of England, in case you don't recognize him with his bare knees, sporty cap and nitty cane. This was the way he dressed on his most recent visit to Scotland.



**SIX AT ONCE**—This picture, snapped at the recent water meet at Georgetown, Germany, shows six divers in the air at one time.



**TITLED AVIATRIX**—Elsie Mackay, daughter of Lord Inchcape, has passed her tests as a licensed pilot and is now a full-fledged flier. Here she is examining her plane.



**A PARADOX OF NATURE**—The stork brought eight puppies to Nellie, a spaniel, at the Bide-a-Wee home in New York. They died. Eight kittens walked into Nellie's cage and adopted her as their mother.



**H. M. S. RALEIGH GOES AROUND OF LABRADOR**—This photograph was taken by one of the crew of H. M. S. Raleigh after she had come around off the treacherous coast of Labrador. The great wall of water that swept down upon the decks threatened the photographer as he stood there.



**UNANIMOUS**—Dolores, famous Follies beauty, returns to America to find that artists picking "the 12 most beautiful women" are in agreement on the choice of her, but at odds on the choice of other beauties.



**SHE WAS FIRST**—Helen Adams, four, won the grand prize in the annual baby parade at Asbury Park, N. J., while 100,000 looked on and cheered her.



**SOME THIRLIES!**—Miss Laura Bell tries on the largest pair of shoes ever made for actual wear. They were made in a Boston factory.



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